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Title of Invention

METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR MITIGATING RISK

ASSOCIATED WITH SETTLING OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AND OTHER PAYMENTS-BASED

TRANSACTIONS

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- Combined Declaration Of Inventorship And Power Of Attorney;
- Twenty (20) sheets of Replacement Drawings;
- Part 2 of Notice Of Missing Parts Of Application/Filing Date Granted;
- Petition for Extension of Time; and
- TJP, Esq., PC Check No. 2888 in the amount of \$265.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

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